

Homecoming for Hamlin Proposed

Planning Board Discusses Proposal For Organizing Annual 2-Day Event

A proposal for creating an annual celebration in Hamlin beginning with next year was made at the meeting of the Hamlin Planning Board Tuesday night, by Mrs. Tom Teague, representative of the Garden Club.

Mrs. Teague proposed that all civic and service agencies of the city unite in sponsoring an annual homecoming for former students of Hamlin High School.

The celebration, she said, could be made a two-day affair and various forms of entertainment could be included in the plans for each year's meeting.

The matter was discussed at length by the board, and given approval of representatives of all clubs. It is proposed to ask the various organizations participating in the board to name committees for working out full details.

Included in events planned for the occasion would be the election of a homecoming queen, selected from entries made by organizations of the town or classes of the school.

Mrs. Teague told the board that almost every town in this area has some kind of annual event which has become a local tradition. But that Hamlin has no such program. She urged that the homecoming be made Hamlin's annual big celebration.

Miss Linnie Greenway and Mrs. H. Gilbert represented the Hamlin Cemetery Association at the meeting, and gave reports on the condition of the city's two burial grounds.

A discussion followed, in which the board agreed to ask the City Council to provide a mowing machine and city labor to cut the weeds and high grass in the cemeteries.

A discussion of Hamlin's sanitary needs followed, and a committee of Mrs. R. D. Moore, Mrs. Brad Rowland and Mrs. Henry Albritton was named to take the matter up with the city health officer, and urge that strict sanitary regulations be applied in Hamlin.

Mrs. Bill Thompson was named chairman of a committee to receive funds for purchase of a spraying machine for Hamlin, after the group discussed the raising of

Hamlin Independents In Win Over Thornton

The Hamlin Independents came from behind in the fourth inning to win a decision from Thornton Motors of Abilene on the local diamond Sunday afternoon.

Score in the exhibition game was 8 to 3.

A homerun by Truman Nix, former member of the Abilene club, but now playing with Hamlin, led the procession that brought victory to the Hamlinites.

The Independents had trailed 3 to 1 until the fourth when they tied the score with two runs. They added a third in the fifth inning.

It was Hamlin's first victory over the Thorntons in four games this season.

Hearing Denied in Seizure Case

The Texas Supreme Court overruled a motion for rehearing in the case of James F. Woods of Hamlin vs. J. J. Backus, in which more than 9,000 bottles of beer were involved.

Woods, manager of the Hamlin VFW 6014 Club, had filed the suit in district court against Backus, of the Texas Liquor Control Board. Woods sought to force Backus to return the beer which had been seized from the local club.

A district court jury ruled in favor of Woods, and the Liquor Board appealed. A decision of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals reversed the district court and Woods appealed.

Action of the court Wednesday upheld decision of the appellate court.

RED CROSS MEET SET
A regular meeting of the Jones County Red Cross chapter will be in the district court room in Anson Tuesday evening. The meeting will convene at 8 o'clock, according to George O. Harvey, chairman.

Rain for Past Week In Hamlin Totals .76

Rainfall that came in small amounts over a period of four days and nights during the past week, left a total of .72 of an inch of moisture in Hamlin, according to the City Pump Station records.

Rainfall Friday was .17; Saturday, .14; Monday, .12; and Tuesday, .29 of an inch. Precipitation during the period brought rainfall for the year to a record of 17.89 inches.

Golden Flood of Grain Resumes As Sun Returns

The flood of wheat into Hamlin, which terminated abruptly last week with the coming of rains, got underway again Thursday and was in full flow Thursday as sunshine returned.

Damage to wheat fields throughout Hamlin's area was estimated variously at from 40 per cent to 70 per cent, but all growers and buyers were agreed that considerable damage was occasioned by the wet weather.

Combines began to move into fields early Wednesday as the first night without rain passed and mud began to be replaced by solid soil. Wheat and elevator men said the harvest was accelerated to rush proportions by noon Thursday.

Many fields near Hamlin will be abandoned with no attempt made to salvage the grain, as much of it has fallen, and action of combines causes a considerable portion of the remainder to fall before it can be cut.

Cancer Drive Fund Is Given \$215 in Hamlin

A total of \$215 was raised in Hamlin for the American Cancer Society drive for funds with which to conduct research, C. W. Gold, local chairman, said this week.

The drive in the county was headed by A. V. Womack of Anson, and the local campaign was under direction of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Womack, in a letter to The Herald this week, expressed appreciation to Hamlin people for their response.

Jones County's quota in the campaign was \$1,387, and Womack expressed confidence that it will be attained.

New Rister Book Off Press June 10

Former Resident of McCauley Wrote Complete History of Oil in Southwest

A new book, "Oil, Titan of the Southwest," from the pen of Dr. C. C. Rister, former McCauley resident, was released last week.

Dr. Rister, son-in-law of Mrs. M. P. May of Hamlin, is a former school student at McCauley, and later served as superintendent of the McCauley school system. He was in Hamlin two weeks ago and made a talk at the Rotary Club meeting.

The following story about Rister and his new book was written by the publicity office of the Oklahoma University, where Dr. Rister is a member of the history department:



Carl Coke Rister, Texas-born author and University of Oklahoma professor, has completed his eleventh book on the great southwest. It is "Oil, Titan of the Southwest," published this week by the University of Oklahoma Press.

"The economic foundations of six southwestern are so dependent upon the production of petroleum, through salaries, royalties and taxes that each would have to contend with enestimable problems and would face a struggle for survival should the oil sands cease to flow," Rister says.

However, the author does not predict a "drying up" and an end to oil production in the Southwest. He describes extensive prospecting

now going on in search of new fields. Besides anchoring the economy of the states of Kansas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico, according to Rister, the oil that is produced in the various fields of this area totals 70 percent of the nation's crude output.

Rister, research professor of history at the University of Oklahoma and president of the Mississippi Valley historical association, undertook the preparation of an objective history of southwestern oil more than three years ago. His work was made possible under a \$30,000 grant by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey to the University of Oklahoma Foundation.

In the course of this research, he visited several dozen libraries, traveled 35,000 miles through the Southwest to interview oilmen — from roustabouts on the job to company officials — and studied refineries and oil-field installations in addition to conferring with federal and state officials.

More than 10,000 pages of notes, photographs, maps, charts and microfilm were assembled during these trips. From the information collected, he has written a comprehensive account of the search for and development of oil resources in the Southwest: the historic Lucas well at Spindletop, Texas, in 1901; strikes at Glenn Pool, Mexico, Oklahoma City, and East Texas; the period when oil went begging at three cents a barrel in Beaumont while water was scarce at five cents a cup; and the all-important part which played in World Wars I and II.

Dr. Rister was born June 30, 1889, at Coke county, Texas. He attended grade schools at Trent and McCauley, Tex., and was graduated from high school at McCauley. He obtained his A.B. degree from Simmons university, Abilene, Tex., in 1915. His major subject was education, as it enabled him to take the most history courses. He later received his A.M. and Ph. D. degrees from George Washington univer-

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Drive for Funds To Buy Markers To Get Underway

A campaign to raise funds with which to purchase markers for Hamlin's streets, and numbers of houses in the city, will begin as soon as necessary receipts can be printed, it was voted at a meeting of the joint Rotary-Lions Clubs committee, Tuesday evening, according to B. V. Uewberry, chairman.

The campaign will be based on a small fee charged each business house and residence for house numbers. It was voted to charge each business house \$2.50 for each 25 front feet of business building, and to charge each residence \$1.

Payment of the fee will entitle the person to the proper numbers for attaching to the front of the house or building, Newberry said.

The plan will raise sufficient money, it is believed to purchase both the numbers and the markers, and pay for the erection of the markers.

It is proposed to buy 200 markers on the initial order and put one on each block in the city. Markers will be erected on opposite corners at each street intersection on Central Avenue and Lake Drive.

The markers adopted are similar in design to those adopted recently by the cities of Anson, Merkel and Roby. They are of pressed aluminum with letters one and one half inches in height. They will be set on eight foot pieces of angle iron, which will be sunk two feet into the ground in concrete.

Newberry said it is hoped to complete the campaign for funds within two weeks after it begins. This will enable the committee to make an immediate order for the markers and get them erected within a short time.

He pointed out that inauguration of city mail delivery in Hamlin is dependent upon marking of the streets and numbering the houses.

Also, he added, the placing of markers and putting up of house numbers will result in better fire protection.

Open Hearing Is Set For Hamlin Budget

An open public hearing on the budget for the city of Hamlin for 1949-50 fiscal year, will be held in Hamlin City Hall Tuesday evening, June 21.

All persons interested in details of city finances are invited to attend the hearing and inspect the budget before its adoption. The hearing opens at 7:30.

Miss Grovena Sipe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Sipe has gone to Florida to spend the summer with relatives.

How Would Increase in Valuation of City Property Affect Taxes in Hamlin?

A rising demand on the part of Hamlin residents for public improvements and for purchase of new and more modern equipment for the town, has brought the response from members of the city's governing board that such innovations here would require the collection of more money in city taxes than is available now.

Hamlin has had no general increase in tax valuations since 1929, city records, searched by a Hamlin Herald representative this week, disclosed.

The city's tax rate, which is \$1.50 for each \$100 valuation is lower than any other city of similar size in this part of Texas, because of lower property valuations on the tax rolls, city officials pointed out.

Among the many demands for increased expenditures that come to the ears of city councilmen are: requests for extension of paving; requests for extensions to the city's sewer system; a request for purchase of a spraying machine (which was bought this week); requests for better care of the alleys and streets; requests for new sidewalks; requests for better care of the city park. And many other demands for expenditures from funds that do not exist.

Holly Toler, mayor, pointed out this week that during the war years when equipment and machinery

VFW to Clean Hamlin Cemetery of Rubbish

A thorough clearing of the East Cemetery will be made by members of the Hamlin VFW Post 6014, it was voted at the weekly meeting Wednesday evening.

The cemetery is covered by a rank growth of weeds and grass. Trucks to haul off the rubbish will be furnished by the city, C. W. "Jiggs" Gold, commander of the post, said.

Cost of the cleaning will entail considerable expenditure of money, and many hours of work, Gold said, but the VFW will take care of the entire expense.

It was suggested Thursday that other civic groups undertake to look after the cemetery after it is given its initial cleanup.

Hamlin Negroes Will Celebrate Emancipation

A two-day celebration will mark observance of Emancipation day, when Negro residents of Hamlin plan for entertainment on both Saturday, June 18, and Sunday, June 19.

Included in plans for the entertainment are musical features, dancing, and two ball games, according to Charles Erwin, one of the business leaders of Hamlin's colored section.

Ball games have been scheduled for both days, Erwin said.

The Hamlin Blue Jays will meet the Stamford Red Sox Saturday, June 18, at 3 p. m. on the Hamlin City Park diamond.

The Anson Black Tigers will come here Sunday afternoon to play the Blue Jays in the second game of the twin-attraction.

City Approves Widening of Paving; Must Collect Before Work Begins

Hamlin's city council Tuesday afternoon voted approval of a contract with the State Highway Department for widening of paving on Central Avenue and Lake Drive, and authorized the signing of the agreement.

The project will call for an expenditure of approximately \$36,000 in funds by the highway department. This amount must be matched by approximately \$2,800 of city funds, and \$12,150 of money to be paid by property owners along the affected areas.

Hamlin's part in the cost will provide for curbing and gutters at street intersections, and for the local share of the drainage project.

Money collected from property owners will pay for curb and gutter in front of their property. Assessments were made at the rate of \$1.50 for each foot of property fronting on the improvement districts.

Some property owners have not yet paid in their share of the cost, it was learned Wednesday. Work will not get underway until assessments are collected, it was said.

City officials were working this week to effect an immediate collection of unpaid amounts to expedite start of construction.

The drainage project project will result in lowering of SE Avenue B from Lake Drive south to the Santa Fe tracks, to serve as a disposal channel for surface waters. The avenue will be given an all-weather topping.

It is hoped that final collection can be made at once and that work can be started in the near future, city officials said Wednesday.

City Purchases Spray Machine

Action Came After Planning Board Asked That Funds Be Raised to Battle Polio

Hamlin's City Council voted Tuesday to purchase a DDT spraying machine to be used on city streets and alleys in the battle against polio, according to Mayor Holly Toler.

The action came following a movement which began in the Civic Planning Board meeting Monday evening, when C. W. Gold, commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, suggested the need for such equipment here.

Following full discussion in the Planning Board, it was voted to refer the matter to the organizations represented on the membership, and to ask for public donations to a fund for purchase of the machine if the city could not make the purchase.

At the Lions Club meeting Tuesday at noon the matter was referred to the group and it was voted to ask the council to buy the machine. The Lions Club voted to donate \$50 to the purchase fund if the city was unable to buy the equipment.

In a meeting of Chamber of Commerce directors at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Mayor Toler told the group that the city will purchase the equipment if it is the will of the citizens.

Following a motion, the directors voted unanimously to request the council to take action on the matter. Toler said the machine, which has been ordered from a San Antonio firm, will arrive here within a week or 10 days.

Following its arrival it is planned to spray all streets and alleys with the DDT mixture at least twice each week until flies and mosquitoes are killed in Hamlin.

In announcing the purchase of the machine, members of the com-

cil again urged all residents of Hamlin to cut weeds and high grass adjacent to their property, and to drain all pools of water that might serve as breeding places for mosquitoes.

"It will do little good to spray the city if the spray is unable to penetrate into the grass and weeds that have grown up on so many lots and around so much of the private property," it was said.

Cost of operating the machine will be considerable, Toler said Tuesday. It is estimated that the cost will be at least \$8 per hour while it is in actual use.

Softball Field To Be Treated With DDT Spray

Spectators at the tri-weekly softball contests will be able to witness the games in more comfort after Thursday night, Truman Nix, one of the managers of the softball league, said Wednesday.

The field, bleachers, and even the fence will be given a spray of DDT solution late Thursday to kill mosquitoes and flies, and prevent irritation to fans while watching the games.

Crowds at the games increased during the past week, and interest continued to grow, Nix said.

The games last Friday night, in which two contests had been scheduled, were rained out.

Monday night the Hamlin All-Stars lost by two points to the Abilene Junior Longhorns. Score at close of the game was 7 to 5 for the visitors.

In the second game Monday McCauley men lost to Sylvester 13-9. McCauley boys won by forfeit Tuesday evening when the Celotex boys failed to appear for a slated game. In the second contest Neinda Girls' team downed Hamlin 11 to 9 in a stellar performance.

Hilton women were scheduled to face McCauley women in the first half of Thursday night's games, and the Celotex men were pitted against Neinda men in the second game of the evening.

An all-star attraction was slated for Saturday night when Hilton women will meet Stamford women, and Hamlin boys will entertain the Rule boys, Nix said.

Rotarians Hear Talks On Markers, Spraying

Discussions on the purchase of the spraying machine for Hamlin, and an explanation of the plan adopted for purchasing street markers, were heard at the meeting of the Hamlin Rotary Club at noon Wednesday.

O. D. Roland, member of the City Council, told the group that the city's ability to make the purchase of any needed equipment is based entirely on the revenue derived from taxation.

M. S. Johnson, member of the joint Rotary-Lions Club committee for erecting street markers, explained the method that has been adopted, and urged full cooperation of the club members.

Anson Child in Grip Of Dreaded Leukemia

Little Frances Mae Steel, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steel of Anson, has been returned to her home from an Abilene Hospital, with little hope held for her recovery.

The child is suffering from leukemia, mysterious blood disease, which is almost invariably fatal.

The baby was taken to the hospital more than a week ago, and following the diagnosis, doctors told her parents to take her home where she would be happier.

Mrs. J. G. Jackson went to Brownwood Monday, where she is a guest of relatives this week.

Lions in Discussion Of Spray Machine

A discussion of the purchase of a DDT sprayer machine for Hamlin took up most of the business and program time of the Lions Club at noon Tuesday.

Following a complete discussion of the matter, it was voted to ask the City Council to purchase one of the machines without requiring public donations.

SON HAS OPERATION

Ernest Kent Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hudson, underwent a tonsilectomy in Callan Hospital, Rotan, Tuesday morning.

MRS. HUFF IMPROVES

Condition of Mrs. Clyde Huff, who has been in Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last Saturday, was reported greatly improved Thursday. She was released from the hospital Thursday and returned to her home.

Mrs. Lott Shell Sr., of Georgetown, arrived Tuesday to spend the week as a guest in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Simpson.

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A Worthy Challenge

(By Joe Breed, Chairman of the Adult Tuberculosis Survey for Jones County)

Down through the years the people of Jones County have been confronted with problems and challenges, and the record indicates that they have always responded to these and met them commendably.

Within the next few days Citizens of Jones County collectively will have an opportunity to deal a staggering blow to one of the nation's most dangerous and dreaded diseases, that of tuberculosis. It is estimated that 500,000 people in the United States now have active tuberculosis. Annually, 55,000 people die from this stubborn enemy. Of the 55,000 who succumb to this "killer," 40,000 of them are over 30 years of age.

There are several reasons why tuberculosis is to be feared. For one thing, it seems to be able to creep into one's system without the slightest warning. We are told that the X-ray is the surest way of detecting the disease early.

Another thing, tuberculosis is communicable. In addition to protecting one's own well being, one needs to use every precaution to protect the members of his family, his friends and neighbors.

To have a 25 per cent, or even a 50 per cent response on the part of the Jones County people in this Adult Tuberculosis Survey will not get the job done. So, our aim is to get 100 per cent of all the people 15 years of age and over to have their chests X-rayed while the State Department of Health is making this X-ray service available without cost to those X-rayed.

The schedule of the X-ray machine and the State Health Department technicians will be as follows:

STAMFORD—in City Hall
June 16th... 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
June 17th... 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
June 18th... 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.
ANSON—in Bonner Building

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paw and uncle belshazzir had a feerce argymint yistudday and i thawt thay wuz gonna cum to blows, but maw, she havin herd lots of argymints between thim, sed thay wood jest blow insted of cummin to blows.

ennyway it cum up whin paw sed uncle bel, him bein a reepublican, had waisted a lot of money, you sea uncle bel bot a pig last winter fer five dollirs and brung it hoam to raze.

well, paw put it in our hawg pin and i had to fead it rite along with the othr hawgs that paw had. aftr keapin it fer all that time uncle bel sold it munday fer five dollirs, he sed he neadid the mune rel bad.

whin paw cum hoam and lernt that he had sold it fer jest whut he had give fer it, he got mad as ennythang and begin to say sum pritty bad thangs about uncle bel, and that's whur the argymint startid.

paw sed "bel, fer goodniss saiks, you cant nevir maik no mune by sellin sumthang fer no moar thin whut you give fer it, you ain't nevir gonna git rich that way, besides i gess you no that i haiv fed that nig fer you fer you all these munths and i don't like it abit."

uncle bel begin to grin, and he spoak

June 20th... 1 P. M. to 6 P. M.
June 21st... 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
June 22nd... 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
June 23rd... 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.

We urge you to have your chest X-rayed at that time.

The Battle Against Tuberculosis is Yours! ! ! !

Putting Health First

Regardless of the cost in dollars and cents, it was a wonderful idea inaugurated at the meeting of the Civic Planning Board Monday night, which culminated Tuesday in the decision of the City Council to purchase a DDT spraying machine for Hamlin.

There is no possible way to evaluate the health of a community, nor is it possible to determine what benefits will be derived from the expenditure of the \$1695 which the fogging machine cost.

But, if the machine serves to prevent even one case of polio in Hamlin, it will have been worth many, many times what it will cost.

The council was not reluctant to purchase the machine. It hesitated only because funds were difficult to find with which to make the purchase. And as soon as the council learned that public sentiment here favored the deal, it was voted to buy the equipment without further hesitation.

The Herald congratulates the members of the council for this move, and it congratulates the Civic Planning Board for having begun a movement which will result in a safeguard for health of the entire community.

There is no physical asset that can possibly compare to the blessing of health, and when, through negligence the health of an individual, or community is endangered, such negligence borders on the criminal.

up and sed, "now sea hear, malakia, you haiv got it all rong. i'll admit i bot the pig fer five dollirs and sold it fer five dollirs and that you fed it fer me all that time, but my goodniss you had the use of the animal fer all that time, didn't you?"

whin he sed that, paw jest kinda threw his hands up in the air and sed "oh whut's the use? my paw always sed it wuz a waist of lathir to shaiv a jackass ennyway." that wuz supposed to maik uncle bel mad, but he laffed and sed "my goodniss, malakia, jest thank how much lathir you've waisted in yore life by not growin a full berd."

paw left a mutterin sumphang undir his breth and uncle bel went back to the rockin chare on the back porch.

paw wuz in yore sitty this weak and intinded to by a new straw hat to ware, his old one havin bin threw sum pritty hard use, well he wint in a stoar and ast mistar hash whut he wood taik fer one, and whin he sed tin cents, paw sed, "now looky hear, you no that hat aint wurth enny setch sum, i wood be willin to pay a reezonable price, but that's to much." mistar hash told paw if he didnt want a hat fer that price he coud jest ware a sunbonnit and join the ladies ade.

my old dawg has bin a sufferin frum the mange sents hot wethir set in.

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pete odle



Emulating The Ostrich

Don't Sell America Short, Is Plea of Writer Who Believes Not All Is Lost

BY GEORGE PECK

Are you pessimistic about the future of America? What leads me to ask this question is that in recent months I have received letters from and had conversations with men and women of all walks of life unashamedly admit they have thrown up their hands, who are convinced that this America of ours, the envy of all the world, has reached its zenith and is now on the toboggan slide.

These pessimists maintain that we have no new frontiers to be exploited; they point to our huge Federal debt which they claim can only be wiped out by depopulation; they state there is no real leadership in either of our two major political parties; and they see no escape for this nation from the socialist planners. And peering through their dark glasses, they vision communism spreading over the entire world and the inevitability of its finally fastening its deadly clutches on the United States.

It is true that socialists and communists are busy; that real leadership in our two major political parties is at a very low ebb; that our Federal debt is staggering, but this nation has weathered storms on previous occasions. Had past generations listened to the wailings of the pessimists of their day, it is doubtful that the United States would ever have gotten started, most certainly this nation would not have scaled the heights that it did.

Our eternal thanks go to the optimists of past generations who heeded not those murrers. Thank God for the millions of Americans who now refuse to be swayed by present-day pessimistic prophecies who, through grave concern about our problems, still believe that the only thing that can stop America's forward progress, is for us to give up the struggle.

Some years ago in one of my columns, I retailed the story of the two frogs who fell into the crock of cream. It seems fitting to repeat that story now because it is stout medicine for the morale in times like these; it is the perfect answer to those among us who look at America's future through dark-colored glasses.

The one frog, you will recall, was a pessimist with little or no intestinal fortitude. He could not leap out of the crock and after struggling for a short while, said to himself, "What is the use? In the long run I am going to drown anyway, so I will quit struggling." So saying he drowned.

The other frog was an optimist. He had the same spirit with which

the pioneering Founding Fathers were endowed. He said to himself, "It certainly looks hopeless. I tried to jump out of here, but I can't make it. However, I am not going to die until I have to, so I will keep on swimming until I just can't swim any more." You remember what happened. He swam so vigorously that he churned that cream into butter, thus making a solid spring-board from which to leap out of the crock to safety.

There certainly is a lesson for all of us in the simple story of the two frogs. Let me repeat, thank God for the optimists among us—the fellows who keep swimming—who keep their chins up and continue to fight when everything looks hopeless, and who grit their teeth and say to themselves, "I am going to make my voice heard on every occasion. Though I just can't see how we are going to work our way out of the mess we are in, somehow I know we will. But win, lose or draw, I am going to keep on fighting until I just can't struggle any more."

And if you are one who has been "selling America short," why not turn over a new leaf by resolving here and now to renew your faith in a nation that always in the past has overcome what looked like insurmountable obstacles. Such faith made us the world's greatest nation; similar faith exercised now will enable us to climb to even greater heights in the future. Stop being a pessimist; keep on swimming; all is not lost.

The lowest body of water in the world is the Dead Sea.

Planets have been discovered by mathematical calculation.



Writer Alarmed Over Fiscal Condition Of Nation Unless Budget Is Reduced

BY DEWITT EMERY

For more than ten years, some of us have been telling everyone we could reach with spoken and written words that the new deal big spending program would destroy constitutional government, kill freedom of enterprise and wipe out private property of every kind and character.

Our continual hammering on this subject, backed up by logic and reason, and supported by facts and figures has caused quite a number of doubting Thomases to see the light and if we had enough time, we could undoubtedly convince a large majority of the American people that there is a vast difference between promise and performance and that there isn't now and never will be a successful substitute for hard work and thrift.

Unfortunately, we have run out of time. We are now right smack up against the final deadline. The American people must act at once or it will be too late and we'll lose freedom of speech, freedom of religion, freedom of assembly, freedom of enterprise and everything else our sons, our fathers and their forefathers fought for and died to preserve for us.

Yes, my friends, that's just how serious the situation is right now. Our federal government is spending all of us into bankruptcy and serfdom. I'm not asking you to take my word for this but rather to accept the word of the person who has made a more thorough and careful study of our federal government than anyone else in the country. Senator Harry F. Byrd of Virginia.

On the floor of the Senate on May 6, after commenting on the terrific strain the adoption of the budget for fiscal 1950, as presented by the President, would put on our economy, Senator Byrd said: "I am convinced that in the coming year we shall extend our fiscal and economic stability to extremes where it may be unable to withstand additional pressures which are unavoidable in fiscal year 1951. When our fiscal and economic stability weakens there is certain to be a demoralizing domestic crisis which probably would be disastrous to our private enterprise system and therefore to our form of government."

That's plenty plain, isn't it? And when Senator Byrd, who is a sound, solid American of the highest integrity, who always has the courage of his convictions, and who is conservative at all times on all things says that disaster is only a little way ahead unless we mend our ways right now, you can be absolutely certain that the situation is mighty, serious.

The question is, are you, yes, I mean you, willing to do something about it? If you want to make an effort to preserve our American way of life, then write to your congressman and to both of the senators from your state to let them know that you want them to support Senator Byrd's recommendations for reducing the 1950 budget. That'll do it. It will show beyond any doubt

that there is a strong national demand—this column is appearing in more than three thousand daily and weekly newspapers and will be read by more than ten million people—for a substantial reduction in the cost of our federal government. And in a republic, public opinion is always the final controlling factor.

Time is mighty short to get your letters in the mail today. Address congressmen, House Office Building, and senators, Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C.

Cause of Cancer Is Still Mystery To Scientists

False notions about the causes of cancer are hindering cancer control in Texas to a great extent, J. Louis Neff, executive director of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, said recently.

"Unfortunately, we do not yet know exactly what does cause the dreaded disease," Mr. Neff said. "What we do know, however, is that certain old fashioned ideas about cancer are not true. It is a great misfortune that so much about cancer is cloaked in ignorance and fear."

The executive director stated with emphasis, that cancer is caused by a single severe infection or by the use of aluminum cooking utensils, or by electric refrigeration, or by any particular food or combination of foods, or by use of alcohol, or by kissing or by any other form of contact between persons or between persons and animals.

"These versions of what causes cancer are all old wives tales," and he more we of the American Cancer Society can do to discredit these false notions and bring the true facts about the disease to the people of this state, the sooner it will be that Texas conquers cancer.

"Cancer is not caused by a germ or infection. It is neither contagious nor infectious. Nor is cancer necessarily hereditary. Evidence indicates that children may inherit a certain degree of susceptibility which should make them more alert to warning signals. But there is no reason to assume that children will inevitably die of cancer because one or more parents die of the disease."

The American Cancer Society official pointed that cancer results when certain body cells rebel against the orderly process of growth and start off on a rampage of lawless expansion, destruction, and death. What causes this wild and destructive growth is not known.

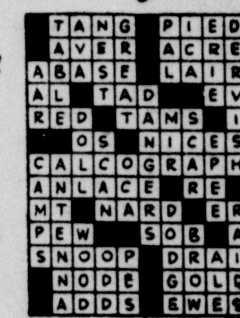
"Until we do find the causes of cancer and develop additional methods of treatment," he concluded, "we must fight cancer with what we now know."

Neap tides are low tides in the beginning of the second and fourth quarters of the moon.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

- ACROSS
1. A Hebrew patriarch
6. Custom
11. Sarcasm
12. Rapidly
13. Unadorned
14. Having a steeple
15. Before
16. Short, brisk jumps
17. Not fresh
19. Cigarette (slang)
22. Land-measure
24. Affirmative vote (var.)
25. A slipknot
27. A fierce, wild animal
29. Courage (slang)
30. Incites
32. Mulberry
33. Like
34. Still
35. A brewed malt liquor
38. A little (mus.)
39. Cereal grain
42. An appetizer
45. Land-measure
46. Harangue
47. A dervish (Moh.)
48. Stares with open mouth
49. Assumed parent tongue of the Indo-European languages
DOWN
1. Agree



Answer to Puzzle No. 5

2. Sandarac tree
3. Centers
4. Undivided
5. Next or near to
7. Sacred bull (Egypt.)
8. Stripe
9. Frozen water
10. Spread grass to dry
14. Coin (Peru)
16. Grass cut and dried for fodder
18. A U. S. president
20. Largest continent
21. Obtains
22. Absent
23. Garment
26. Eye
28. Permit
31. Slants
32. Past
36. High card
37. Shaky (slang)
38. Crown of head (humorous)
40. Melody
41. Gull-like bird
42. A gear-wheel tooth
43. Constellation
44. Short sleep
45. River (Switz.)
47. Music note

REG'LAR FELLERS

This Is A Great Story

By GENE BYRNES



(American News Features, Inc.)

Spray Without Cleanup, Waste Of Time, Money

During the last several summers, considerable enthusiasm was shown by various local organizations such as Chambers of Commerce, many civic organizations, and others in arranging of a fly eradication program.

However, without year-round sanitation the ultimate result, which is so important has not always been too successful; in some areas this has given rise to rumors that flies are DDT resistant. Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer said.

"The Texas State Department of health heartily endorses a fly spraying program, provided it includes a general clean-up program carried out during the entire year," Dr. Cox, said. "For example, why spray a garbage heap that not only invites but actually breeds flies when it should have been removed. Why spray the city dump when it really should be covered. I fear the unplanned spraying program is similar to the application of perfume or toilet water to overcome B.O. or the application of powder to cover dirt."

In a well-planned control program, Dr. Cox declared, all places where flies gather, such as dumps, rubbish piles, garbage piles, decayed vegetation should be cleaned up by hauling away and burying. Proper garbage and rubbish containers with fly tight covers should be demanded from all. All buildings should be screened. Then, secure a spray outfit, preferably with one or more hoses each manned by a skilled operator to spray the areas where flies and other insects will light. It does little good to spray the center of the street, the ball diamond, or the sidewalks. Spray the surfaces where insects light or breed.

A residual spray remains active until the DDT washes off or is covered with grease, dirt or soot. This usually lasts four to six weeks. After that, a second spray is recommended provided the item of clean-up is still being carried out.

Book Review Given by Mrs. Scott in Meeting

Charles H. Scott reviewed "Years of the Locust," by Louis Erdrum, in a social meeting in the home of Mrs. G. S. Barnes of Sylvester last Monday afternoon. A refreshment plate was served



Governor Beauford Jester is shown here as he affixes his signature to Senate Bill No. 375. The Bill, known as the Mandatory Publication Law, requires that all public notices called for by Texas Statutes be published or the official responsible for such publication suffers loss of salary, or removal from office for neglect of duty. Senator James E. Taylor of Kerens, pictured on Jester's left, sponsored the legislation through the Senate. House sponsor was Phillip L. Willis of Kaufman. Covered by the law are all public officers of the state, counties, cities, and school districts. Governor Jester signed the bill into law June 8, and it became immediately effective.

to Mrs. Cliff Jay, Mrs. Ralph Headstream, Mrs. T. H. Mayfield, Mrs. Herman Mayfield, Mrs. Wayne Pursley, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Horace Hogan all of Roby; Mrs. Maggie Wilder, Mrs. Lewis Lawlis, Mrs. George Lawlis, Mrs. E. H. Phillips, Mrs. W. T. Lawlis, Mrs. G. F. Hood, Mrs. Tracy King, and the hostess, Mrs. Barnes.

Methuselah is supposed to have lived 969 years.

Poison Station Open Three Days in Week

Because of a heavy demand for poison bran bait for grasshoppers, the mixing station in Anson will be open three days each week, it was announced Monday.

The station will be open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. Persons needing poison are asked to bring their own sacks for the mash.

Firendship HD Club Had Program Friday

A program on fire prevention was given at the meeting of the Firendship Home Demonstration Club, when members met in the Community Center last Friday.

Mrs. Cecil Brown presided at the meeting. Roll call was answered by each member telling of an accident that could have been prevented.

Mrs. Sol Branscum and Mrs. Jap Kemp gave parts on the program.

Plans were made for a bake sale to be held in Hamlin Saturday morning, June 18. On Saturday the members will entertain their families with an ice cream party at the Community Center.

Cookies and punch were served by the hostess, Mrs. Manny Johnson.

Members present were Mrs. Cecil Brown, Mrs. Roy Brown, Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. Sol Branscum, Mrs. Bud Fomby, Mrs. John Hix Mrs. J. E. Johnson, Mrs. M. S. Johnson, Mrs. Jap. Kemp, Mrs. Ed Rogers, and Mrs. Grady Smith. Patsy Brown was a visitor. The next meeting will be June 24.

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Mrs. Sewell Bonner of Carlsbad, New Mexico, was a guests Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold BoBnner. She also visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Reynolds. She will go from here to Fort Worth to visit friends before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams spent the week end in Cross Plains as guest of Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. Jeff Clark.

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ATTEND CONVENTION

T. W. McGuire, chief, Tom Vaughan H. E. Lawson, and F. M. Crow, fire marshal, were delegates from the Hamlin Fire Department to the annual firemen's convention in Galveston this week. They left Sunday for Galveston.

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Redus Well Completed With Good Show Of Oil, Gas; Pipe Is Set on Pardue

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co., set pipe on the Redus No. 1 Wednesday and prepared to complete the well as a producer.

The well was drilled to 4,800 feet and production was found in the Canyon series. A drillstem test brought gas to the surface in two minutes, and a considerable quantity of oil surfaced within nine minutes.

Texas Pacific was preparing Wednesday to set casing on the Pardue-Toler No. 1, account 2, after the Canyon was penetrated at 4,485 feet. A drillstem test brought gas to the surface in 12 minutes, followed by a quantity of oil-cut mud.

Ellis A. Hall was skidding the derrick from Poe No. 5 to a twin location, Poe No. 6. The well will drill to the swastika at about 3,900 feet.

General Crude was attempting to complete the Lopez 3 for a producer after drilling operation were halted at 4,200 feet.

The Eleanor S. Towne No. 6 was at 3,000 feet Thursday with no showing.

Texas Co., Stephens 7, was at 5,400 feet and had no showing prior to Thursday.

Operators drilling the Hardin-

Simmons tract plugged the hole late Wednesday after going below 5,000 feet with no indications of production.

Round Top Oil Co., drilling the No. 3 Sohio-Coates et al. was below 3,400 feet Wednesday and slated to go to 5,000.

VFW Auxiliary Will Change Meeting Date

A change in dates for the semi-monthly meetings of the VFW Auxiliary was voted at the Tuesday evening session of the group. The organization will meet on the first and third Wednesday nights of each month.

Mrs. Anne McCoy was accepted as a new member of the auxiliary. Mrs. Zelma Perryman was in charge of the session in the absence of Mrs. Clyde Huff.

A news reel was shown, and Mrs. Perryman gave a brief discussion of the picture, which showed the every day life of a child in the home for widows and orphans in Michigan.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, July 6, at 8 o'clock, when a social will be held.

News From EAST HAMLIN

By Mrs. Louise Erwin

Class No. 6 of the Oak Grove Baptist Church was awarded the banner for offering last Sunday, according to Supt. Jim Griffin. The attendance banner was awarded to Class No. 1.

A program was given in the church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon by the young people of the church. A group of white people from Rotan and Hamlin attended the meeting. Mrs. K. F. Smith sang a solo dedicated to Mrs. B. Stephenson of Rotan. Rev. K. F. Smith preached. We appreciated having had our white friends with us, and they are invited to attend again.

Lonie Van Zandt has returned to his home here after a visit in south Texas.

Mrs. Carier Gray of El Paso was a guest of Mrs. G. Wells this week. Mrs. Gray is district president of the Womens Home Missionary Society. She spoke at a meeting in the Oak Grove Baptist Church Tuesday night. Following the meeting ice cream and cake were served.

The Senior W.H.M.S. and the Eveready circle presented Mrs. with a gift.

The Optimistic Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. Hester Mae Johnson.

The Hamlin Blue Jays and the Stamford Red Sox will play ball Saturday, June 18, in the Hamlin ball park. The public is urged to attend the game.

Hamlin Memorial Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Hospital during the past week are: Jerry Hill, June 8, medical; Mrs. Frank Weaver, June 9, medical; C. M. McCain, June 9, medical; Socorro Cassidy, June 9, medical; Richard Ails, June 10, medical; Mrs. Arnold Galloway, June 11, surgery; Mrs. Clyde Huff, June 11, medical; David McDowell, June 11, medical; Mrs. P. C. Prather, McCauley, June 12, medical; Mrs. Langford McCracken, June 12, medical; Mrs. J. L. Kennedy, June 13, medical; Mrs. C. E. Davis, June 13, medical; J. W. Forbes, June 13, surgery; Vickie Acklin, June 13, medical; Mary Margaret Turner, June 15, medical; H. K. Jones, June 15, medical; M. L. Hought, June 13, medical; Mrs. Frank Weaver, June 15, medical.

Patients dismissed from the hospital during the past week are: Mrs. Cecil Sellers, June 9; Mrs. P. G. Holland and baby, June 9; Mrs. Frank Weaver, June 13; C. M. McCain, June 10; W. L. Beard, June 10; Elmer Evans, June 10; Haldor Majors, June 10; Jerry Hill, June 11; Mrs. Inez Scott, June 12; F. M. Chandler, June 12; Richard Ails, June 12; Socorro Cassidy, June 12; J. W. Forbes, June 14; Robert Duty, June 14; Mrs. C. E. Davis, June 15; Mrs. Bruce McCain, June 15; Mrs. W. B. Dobbins, June 15.

SINGING CONVENTION HERE

The Jones County North Side Singing convention will meet in the Calvary Baptist Church in Hamlin Sunday afternoon, June 19 at 2:30. The public is invited to attend and enjoy the songfest.

Firemen's Auxiliary Planning Sock Supper

A sock supper will provide entertainment when members of the Women's Auxiliary of the Hamlin Fire Department, entertain the public in the fire hall next Friday evening.

Mrs. John Edwards and Mrs. Weldon Hudson will be co-hostesses at the meeting.

Members of the organization met in the fire hall last Thursday evening. When Mrs. Nute Stephens and Mrs. Mickey McGuire were hostesses. Games were played for entertainment. Following the social period, committees were named to plan for the party next week. A quilt will be given away at the entertainment.

A bake sale will be conducted at 11 a. m. Saturday on the street.

Present for last week's meeting were Mrs. Nute Stephens, Mrs. Garland Coltharp, Mrs. Sol Branscum, Mrs. Bryan Conner, Mrs. Mickey McGuire, Mrs. Jack White, Mrs. Ray Kelley, Mrs. Bill Thompson, Mrs. Brad Rowland, Mrs. John Edwards, Mrs. Tom Vaughan, Mrs. Ray Huling, Mrs. L. J. Cunningham, and Mrs. H. E. Lawson.

FORMER RESIDENT MARRIES

Otto Berlin, formerly employed in a store in Hamlin, and Miss Eva Landau Schwartz of Colorado City, were married Sunday afternoon in Houston. Rabbi Robert J. Khan read the double ring ceremony in his study. Since leaving Hamlin, Berlin has made his home in Dallas.

Rehearsal Dinner Is Given Saturday Night

A rehearsal dinner for Miss Mary Albritton Saturday evening, when in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyd and Jack Hagelstein was given Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sparkman of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Glen Boyd of Lamesa were co-hosts.

The entertaining rooms were brightened by an arrangement of gladioluses and daisies.

Guests at the rehearsal dinner were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hagelstein, Mary Hagelstein, Mrs. McKinney, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Hagelstein, Mr. and Mrs. Ele Hagelstein of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. BoByd Jr. of Plainview, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haralson of Paradise, Cecilia Albritton, Pamela Hearn of Lubock, and the honor guests.

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Cotton Leads Advance in Price as Some Grain Markets Turn Upward

Cotton and some grains showed the most strength at generally unsettled southwest farm markets this week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reported.

Cotton advanced from 75 cents to \$2.75 a bale. Spot middling 15-16 inch ranged from 32.30 cents a pound at Dallas to 32.80 at Little Rock.

Wheat made a spectacular comeback last week with gains of 16 to 17 cents a bushel. Corn advanced 2 to 3 cents and oats 1. Barley and sorghums showed slight losses. No. 1 hard wheat closed Monday around \$2.06 to \$2.14, at Texas common points. No. 1 white corn sold around \$1.69, and oats 76 to 80 cents.

Rice markets weakened slightly under pressure of large supplies, slow demand and falling prices of other foods. Most feeds also sold somewhat lower than the week before, with oilseeds and meat scraps the exceptions. Dull hay markets reflected slow demand and light receipts resulting from poor harvesting conditions. Peanut markets were strengthened by improved demand and poor conditions for the new crop.

Southwest egg markets held fairly firm during the week, and poultry remained about steady. Current egg receipts sold around 33 cents a dozen in North Texas and Denver, and 40 cents at New Orleans. Fryers brought 28 to 30 cents a pound at Dallas and Fort Worth, 28 to 33 at Denver, and 31 to 34 at New Orleans.

Tomatoes still moved in large volume this week, but many later-season crops came to market. Watermelons, cantaloupes, onions, peppers and cucumbers were included. Cattle and calves lost around \$1 to \$2 for the week at Fort Worth, 50 cents to \$1 at San Antonio, and 25 to 50 at Oklahoma City. Houston held about unchanged, and Denver showed gains up to \$1 in some classes. Monday's receipts ran close to a week earlier in Texas and Oklahoma.

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Intermediate GA Met For Picnic and Swim

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Members and guests who were present are Janice Agnew, Tommie Lowe, Mary Lee Roland, Eddie Decker, Janet Durham, Bennie Elkins, Gwen Norris, Jeannine Deel, Barbara Posey, Dorothy Altum, Katy Ritchey, Almeda Niedecken, Jere Lynn Irwin, Eleanor Huchingson, Anita Johnson and June Carter.

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Bill Calhoun of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Armstrong and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Brown spent the week end in Waco on business.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Crowley visited friends on a ranch near Polar, Texas, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell and family visited Criswell's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Criswell on the SMS ranch near Throckmorton last Sunday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Corky Criswell and Mr. and A. L. Mize and family in Wichita Falls, Sunday and Monday.

Vickie Lynn, baby of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Acklin, is in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital this week. Her condition is reported to be improved.

Mrs. Jesse Woods and sons, Raymond and Bobby, and Stanley Johnson, of Abilene, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bond and daughter, Laverne, had as guests last week end, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jones of Lakin, Kansas, Mrs. H. O. Esby of Lakin, Kansas, Mrs. H. K. Jones of Hamlin, Mrs. Vinnie Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gruben and son, Mike, of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moulder of Sweetwater, Rev. and Mrs. David Eden of Anson.

tunity to thank my friends and neighbors for the many things they have done for me since I happened to the misfortune of breaking my leg several months ago. My stay in the hospital, which was of long standing, was made easier by the kind deeds rendered me while there. It is impossible to see each one of you personally, but I want to say from the depth of my heart, we are most grateful. Appreciate all the things you did for my wife as she carried on my business while I was away. Hope these few words will express to you how very much we appreciate each and every act of kindness. May God bless you all.—Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Jones. 33-1p.

Legal Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public hearing of annual Budget of the City of Hamlin for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 1949, ending April 30, 1950, at the City Hall, June 21, 1949, at 7:30 p. m.

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Mrs. Clyde Crawford and daughter Sherri and Jan, of Jacksonville were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Onis Crawford last week end.

Guy Hart of Lubbock is visiting here this week in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Lola Harbert, and with his cousin, Bobb Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goforth and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Hayes of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bond and daughter, and James Wright of Celotex.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Nichols and children, Jerry and Lorna, returned home this week from a visit with Mrs. Nichols' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Diehl in El Paso, and Nichols' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nichols, in Sarlsbad, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Henderson of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randall Wright last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Sipe and son, Ronnie, spent the week end in Lubbock as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sullivan.

Carolyn Brown, niece of Mrs. Sipe, returned here for a two-weeks visit in the Sipe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Waincott, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Hines and daughters, Joyce and Irma, and Rev. and Mrs. Leo Moore, all of Hamlin, were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines.

Pink and Blue Shower Honors Mrs. Collins

Mrs. Roy C. Brown and Mrs. Bert Fomby were hostesses at a "pink and blue" shower honoring Mrs. Calvin Collins in the home of Mrs. Brown recently.

Punch and cookies were served to the guests.

Those present were Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. Jap Kemp, Mrs. George Waincott, Mrs. John Collins, Mrs. John Pat Collins, Mrs. Henry Holway, Mrs. Max Touchon, Mrs. Albert Moore, Mrs. Cecil Brown, Mrs. John Hix.

Mrs. Sol Branscum, Mrs. M. F. Holmes, Mrs. Earl Herbst, Miss Della Drake, Mrs. J. E. Johnson, Mrs. M. S. Johnson, Mrs. Edd Rogers, Mrs. A. V. Westmoreland, and the hostesses.

Gifts were sent by Mrs. H. E. Brown, Mrs. Homer Neal, Mrs. W. C. Eoff, Mrs. W. G. Deel, Mrs. Fred Kidwell, Mrs. Jim Lankham, Mrs. R. L. Altum, Mrs. Ethel Hale, Mrs. Gene Richardson, Mrs. Pat Collins.

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Rev. J. E. Smallwood of Sweetwater was a guest this week in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Hawkins.

Mrs. E. E. Gardner of Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williamson of Harlingen, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McGuire left

Sunday for Galveston, where McGuire and Lawson will attend the state convention for firemen. They plan to go down to Mexico and back through the Rio Grande valley.

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79c

In a Glass Water Jug

HALF GALLON

PENICK SYRUP

39c

Box

TIDE 26c



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PORK ROAST,

lb 49c

TOP ROUND STEAK

lb 85c

ARMOUR'S STAR BACON,

lb 57c

VELVEETA CHEESE,

lb 79c

Fresh Dressed and Drawn

FRYERS

lb 59c

WITH RAISINS
3-MINUTE OATS, box 15c

No. 2 1/2 Can

FRUIT COCKTAIL

35c

FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 2 Can

25c

Tall Can, MONARCH

Pork and Beans 10c

No. 2 1/2 Can, SYRUP PACK

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33c

1 lb.—With FREE Water Bottle
ADMIRATION COFFEE

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No. 2 Can, Preview

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13c

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KRISPY CRACKERS

21c

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MONARCH POTATOES

35c

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ASPARAGUS TIPS

39c

Can, Dinty Moore

VIENNA SAUSAGE

12c

Can, Swift's Premium

VIENNA SAUSAGE

17c

Wedding Vows Read Here Sunday for Miss Mary Boyd and Jack Hgelstein

Miss Mary Boyd exchanged wedding vows with Jack H. Hagelstein at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Hamlin.

Rev. Henry J. Littleton, district Baptist missionary, read the double ring ceremony, while the couple stood in front of a green organ pipe decorated with pink and rose peonies, flanked with ferns and baskets of peonies and backed by lighted tapers.

Mrs. Phil Sparkman of Sweetwater, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor, and El Hagelstein of Ozona, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Wright Boyd of Lamesa, W. L. Boyd Jr., of Plainview, Wright Grant Boyd of Lamesa and Fred Hagelstein of Ozona were ushers. Cecilia Albritton of Hamlin, niece of the bride, and Pamela Hearn of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, lighted the candles.

Mrs. Henry Albritton, sister of the bride, was organist and accompanist for Mrs. James Robert Weatherby of Jacksonville, who sang "Oh Promise Me," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Miss Boyd the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd Sr., of Hamlin, entered with her father, who gave her in marriage.

The bride was wearing a dress of white imported Irish linen, decorated with medallions of drawn work. Her hat was of white straw, trimmed with powder-blue ribbon and veil. She carried a white Bible, topped with a white orchid showered with stephanotis.

Mrs. Sparkman, matron of honor, was dressed in pink Irish linen and carried a colonial nosegay.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents, and Mrs. Spark-

man assisted in receiving. Others in the houseparty were members of the immediate families and Annie Laurie and Carrie Johnson of San Antonio, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. W. C. Russell, Mrs. Delma Shelburne, Mrs. Austin Poe, Mrs. Holly Toler, Mrs. O. D. Roland, and Mrs. John Walton, all of Hamlin, and Mrs. Lott Shell Jr., of Abilene.

A two-tiered wedding cake, decorated with a miniature bride and bridegroom in a pink gondola drawn by a white swan, was cut and served.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Hagelstein left for a wedding trip to Colorado. For her going away costume Mrs. Hagelstein wore a cocoa silk shantung dress with matching packet, and a natural colored straw hat. Her accessories were black. For a corsage she wore the orchid which was atop her Bible.

On their return from the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Hagelstein will make their home in Lubbock, where he is employed at a motor firm, and Mrs. Hagelstein is a public accountant.

The bride was graduated from high school in Lamesa and later attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, Texas Technological College and Baylor University. She received her bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from Baylor. She is president of the Altrusa club, secretary of the Society of Certified Public Accountants and a member of the Business and Professional Women's Club.

Hagelstein attended John Tarleton College and was graduated from Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Out of town guests attended the wedding from San Angelo, Ozona,

Publishers Meet in Galveston This Week

More than 500 publishers of Texas had registered for the annual convention of the Texas Press Association in Galveston, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, according to Vernon T. Sanford, secretary-manager.

A program of entertainment and fun was prepared for the newspapermen by the Galveston Chamber of Commerce, and included trips by boat on the Gulf.

LINEMAN INJURED

John W. Ashley, 24, lineman for the Midwest Electric Co-Operative at Roby, suffered serious injuries last Friday when he came in contact with a high voltage line. Ashley was in the Fisher County Memorial this week seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughan and family are in Galveston this week, where Vaughan is attending the state firemen's convention. The family will also visit in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Riger.

Fort Stockton, Pecos, Midland, Lamesa, Lubbock, Plainview, Abilene, Dallas, Fort Worth, Trent, Sweetwater, Rotan, Lueders, Ralls, Stamford, Anson, Paradise, San Antonio, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and Jacksonville, Texas



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MERKEL—Funeral services for Mrs. S. G. Russell, 68, a resident of Merkel for more than 50 years, were conducted Monday afternoon. Mrs. Russell died in a local hospital Sunday morning.

ANSON—Rites for Mrs. Alice P. Neatherlin, 86, were conducted Monday afternoon. Mrs. Neatherlin, a resident of Anson for many years, died in an Abilene hospital Sunday.

W. A. Stephenson of Abilene spent Sunday in Hamlin with his mother, Mrs. Etta Stephenson.

MANAGES WINTERS STORE
Miss Betty Jane Miller, an employee of the A. J. Thompson store in Hamlin, is serving as manager of the S&W store in Winters this week while the manager is on vacation. Miss Miller recently returned from San Angelo, where she visited relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan spent last Friday in Haskell as guests of friends.

Mrs. E. H. Hamlin of Abilene was a guest of Miss Pearl Hudson in Hamlin Tuesday.

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GOLDEN SWEET CORN, Whole Kernel		15c
CATSUP, Sniders	14 oz.	15c

Farm-Fresh Produce

CAULIFLOWER, large head	ea	32c
AVOCADOS, select	ea.	25c
SPINACH, Krispy Cold	lb.	10c
BEANS, home grown	lb.	15c
OKRA, Krispy Cold	lb.	23c
CABBAGE, firm heads	lb.	6c
PINEAPPLE, sweet and tender	ea.	30c
LEMONS, real juicy	ea.	4c
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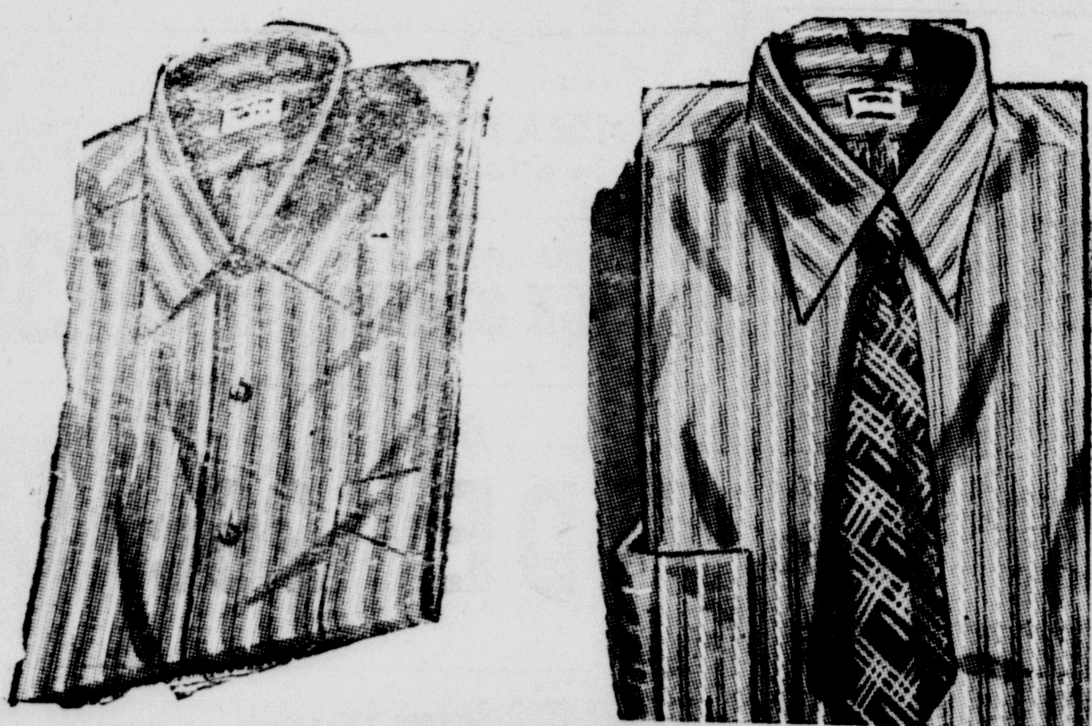


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News From Our Neighbors

Events from nearby towns, taken from other papers.

MUNDAY—First mechanical street sweeper ever used in Munday, arrived last week and was put to work on the town's streets.

MUNDAY—Rites for Mrs. Beulah Fannie Yeager, 91, were conducted last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Yeager died last Wednesday following an extended illness.

MUNDAY—Streets of Munday are being sprayed this week by a fogging machine, with a solution of DDT, to prevent spread of disease by flies and mosquitoes.

ROCHESTER—Sale of the Rochester Reporter to Dal Graham of Knox City, was announced this week by Mr. and Mrs. James A. Greer, who have operated the paper for a number of years. Graham will take over the business this week.

SPUR—A fogging machine, recently purchased by the City of Spur, is expected to arrive soon, when the streets of the town will be sprayed with DDT.

SPUR—Rueben Waddell, member of the Spur chapter of Future Farmers of America, has been declared winner of the Lone Star FFA award in Area 1, which includes 45 counties in the Texas Panhandle.

SPUR—Funeral services were conducted Sunday for Mrs. Annie Parker, 66, who died last Saturday. Mrs. Parker had lived in Dickens County for more than 30 years.

STAMFORD—Residents of Stamford, by a two to one vote, have approved the installation of parking meters. The votes were taken by ballots printed in the Stamford American.

STAMFORD—Final rites for Mrs. J. C. Dillard of Lueders were conducted Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Dillard, 75, a resident of Jones County for 27 years, died in an Abilene hospital Monday.

STAMFORD—Services for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Grantland, 92, were conducted Sunday afternoon. The aged woman, a resident of Stamford for a number of years, died last Saturday.

ANSON—Markers for Anson's streets were ordered this week, and plans are being made for erecting

them when they arrive. A fund for purchase of the markers has grown to approximately \$1,000. The fund was raised by free will donations.

ANSON—Funeral services for Mrs. Mattie E. Welch, 44, were conducted Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Welch died late Wednesday following a long illness.

ANSON—The city council approved an ordinance last week which renamed all streets and avenues. Thoroughfares that run north and south will be called avenues and be given designation by letters of the alphabet. Streets east and west will be designated by number.

ANSON—The paving of Highway 180 will be completed within six weeks, it was announced this week. Surfacing has been completed for four miles, and an additional 13 miles will be surfaced.

ANSON—The city council has passed a new ordinance in regard to disposal of garbage within the city limits. In addition the council voted to order all streets and alleys cleaned of refuse and trash and to spray the city for protection against flies and mosquitoes.

SWEETWATER—The Sweetwater Lions Club is sponsoring a fund which will be used to help Nanette Tyson, 18-year-old student at Abilene Christian College, who is planning an operation to regain her sight.

SNYDER—Scurry County citizens purchased \$51,656.25 worth of government bonds in the "Opportunity" bond drive, in the first week of the campaign. Quota for the county had been set at \$39,500.

SNYDER—Provisions for caring for more spectators at the 1949 Scurry County Rodeo were made

last week when 80 feet more bleacher space was added to the grandstand.

SNYDER—Traffic accidents near Snyder took the toll of one life, and one serious injury last week. Newman Brown, 29, of Colorado City was killed and Wesley Hair, 38, of Post was seriously injured when Brown's truck and Hair's automobile crashed south of here.

SNYDER—Reburial rites for 2nd Lt. Daren L. Benbenek were conducted Sunday afternoon. Benbenek was killed March 20, 1944, while flying a fighter plane over Belgium.

SNYDER—M. C. L. Coates, tool pusher on an oil well southwest of Snyder, died in a local hospital Tuesday of head injuries suffered while working on the rig. He was struck on the head by a cable block when it fell from near the top of the derrick.

SNYDER—Mrs. Richard O. von Roeder, former resident of Snyder, drowned near Kerrville last Wednesday, according to reports here Thursday.

ROTAN—A fish fry at the city park was given Tuesday evening by the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church. A load of fish was ordered from east Texas for the event.

ROTAN—Work began this week on construction of a new theatre in Rotan, to cost approximately \$50,000.

ROTAN—Miss Betty Hoffman of Mason has been employed by the Rotan school board as band instructor for the coming year. Miss Hoffman will develop the Rotan band and direct its activities.

ROTAN—Bill McGee of near

Jayton was treated in Callan Hospital here last Monday for serious burns suffered when a 5-gallon can of gasoline exploded while McGee was working on his tractor in the farm yard.

ROBBY—Sheriff R. L. Wilkins went to Huntsville and Rusk last week to return W. H. Ruce Jr., and Carl Bolton here for trial on criminal charges. Ruce is charged with forgery and Bolton is charged with by the bailee.

RULE—Rites were conducted last Tuesday for A. S. Bristow, 85, a resident of Rule for almost 50 years. Bristow died in his home here late Monday.

RULE—A spraying machine, owned by the city of Rule, is being used each night by members of the fire department, to give the entire town a complete spraying of DDT.

RULE—Approximately 100 guests attended the 10th anniversary celebration of the Rule Rotary Club, in the school cafeteria Monday night.

HASKELL—The second cleanup

campaign in Haskell this year will get underway Monday, June 20, and continue throughout the week. The drive for a cleaner city was ordered by the City Council to prevent outbreak of disease here.

HASKELL—Haskell's Lions Club will present its second annual carnival and fun festival Thursday, evening, June 16, it was announced here this week.

HASKELL—Funeral services and reburial for Pvt. Ralph Hodgkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodgkin of Haskell, were conducted in Mount-almair, New Mexico, Sunday afternoon. Hodgkin was killed January 2, 1945, while in a prisoner of war camp in Germany.

HASKELL—A check in the amount of \$5,600 was received this week from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, for use in Haskell County for polio cases.

HASKELL—Members of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce held their second monthly get-together at 7 a. m., Thursday, June 16. Community problems are discussed at the meetings and plans made for solving them.

HASKELL—Stores in Haskell will close at 5:30 p. m. on week days during the summer months, it was decided last week. Later hours of closing will be observed on Saturdays.

ROTAN—An intensive clean-up

drive was conducted in Rotan last week. All civic and service clubs and organizations joined with the city council in making the cleanup campaign effective.

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Asparagus	Meddo Land All Green	10 1/2-Oz. Can	12¢
Dressing	Cascade Salad Dressing	16-Oz. Jar	23¢
Cane Sugar		10-Lb. Bag	89¢
Tea	Canterbury Orange Pekoe, Top Quality	1/4-Lb. Pkg.	25¢

Pineapple	Libby's Sliced	2 No. 1 Cans	33¢
Pears	Harbor House Bartlett, Halves	No. 2 1/2 Can	42¢
Juice	Town House Fancy Grapefruit	44-Oz. Can	21¢
Tomato Juice	Sunny Dawn	44-Oz. Can	27¢
Lunch Tongue	Libby's	No. 1 1/2 Can	30¢
Deviled Ham	Libby's	No. 1 1/4 Can	19¢
Sardines	Star Boat Tomato	15-Oz. Can	23¢
Pickles	American, Whole Sour or Dill	22-Oz. Jar	23¢
Spread	Lunch Box Sandwich	14-Oz. Jar	31¢
Ripe Olives	Ebony Large	9-Oz. Can	29¢
Mustard	French Prepared	9-Oz. Jar	13¢
Salt	Sno-White Plain or Iodized	2 25-Oz. Pkgs.	17¢
Vinegar	Joye, Colored Distilled	Gal. Jug	37¢
Vinegar	Old Mill White	Gal. Jug	63¢
Bread	Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	18¢
Bread	Skylark Guaranteed Better	24-Oz. Loaf	20¢
Meal	Mammy Lou White Corn	5-Lb. Bag	33¢
Meal	Covered Wagon White Corn	5-Lb. Bag	31¢

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Short Ribs	Heavy Beef Gov't Graded	Lb.	29¢
Picnics	Smoked Whole or Half	Lb.	39¢

Bacon	Mello Sliced	Lb.	45¢
Dry Salt Bacon		Lb.	25¢
Dry Salt Jowls		Lb.	15¢
Swift Sausage	lb		43¢
Pork Roast	2 lb Avg., lb		49¢
Steaks	Heavy Beef Round	Lb.	85¢
Franks	Skinless Bulk	Lb.	39¢
Bologna	Sliced	Lb.	47¢
Rosefish Fillets	Quick Frozen	Lb.	35¢
Shrimp	Medium Quick, Frozen	12-Oz. Pkg.	55¢

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12 Students in Summer Term at H-SU From City

Twelve students from Hamlin are enrolled in the first summer term of Hardin-Simmons University. Classes will continue through July 9. The second term will begin July 12. Enrollment has reached an all time high of 1165 students for the summer term.

The students are Jane Adams, Aubrey Ray Altum, Cora Hartense Ball, Joe Clements, Richard Cyfert, Bill Harbert, Faye Lambdin, Agness Dee Morton, Byron Newberry, Glen Richardson, W. L. "Bill" Scott, and Marvin Dixon Carlton. Also enrolled is Bobby Ray Crowley of McCaulley.

Miss Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Adams, is a junior at the university.

Altum is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Altum. He is a sophomore.

Mrs. Cora Ball, wife of Clem E. Ball, is a senior. She teaches mathematics in the Hamlin public schools.

Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Clements, is a senior. He is a prominent member of the chapel choir at H-SU. Clements had the leading role in the school opera, "Mix of Love" given this spring in Brehens chapel.

Cyfert, graduate student, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Cyfert.

Harbert is the son of Mrs. Lola Harbert. He is a senior and a member of the Business Administration club. Harbert has been employed at the Ernest Grissom department store in Abilene for the past three years while attending H-SU.

Mrs. Lambdin is a special student at the university. She is the wife of J. C. Lambdin and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Murphree.

Miss Morton is doing graduate work at the university. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morton.

Newberry principal of Hamlin High School is also doing graduate work at the university.

Richardson, son of Mrs. Maye Richardson, is a senior. He is a member of the Alpha Phi Omega, honorary service organization and the Science Club. He was a member of the Bronco staff, year book at Hardin-Simmons.

Scott, son of Mrs. Frances Scott,

Birthday Party Given For Faith Simpson

Honoring her 12th birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson entertained friends of their daughter, Faith, in the Simpson home last Friday afternoon.

Guests met in the home of the honoree, where gifts were opened, and they were taken to the city park where games were played and refreshments were served.

Those present were Linda Carlton, Toby Sellers, Doyle Brinegar, John Brinegar, Lonnie Binnicker, Almeta Niedicken, Frankie Jo Andress, Jim Dennis, Juston Rowland, Monnie Ann Holt, Angela Malouf, Boyce Irwin, Jere Lynn Irwin, Margaret Helen Chandler, Margot Faye Patterson, Reba Roland, Lusara Dean, Cecilia Albritton, Jerry Fred Jay, James Eddie Jay, Ethel Sue Denton, Marisue Daniels, Tommie Lowe, Joy Fay Hames, Melvin Hames and Carol Joe Simpson.

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is doing graduate work at the university. He is the freshman basketball coach and coached the Hardin-Simmons baseball team this past season.

Carlton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlton, is the principal of the elementary school in Hamlin. He is doing graduate work at the university.

Crowley, a sophomore, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Crowley of McCaulley.

Eighteen fields of study are being offered during the summer at H-SU. The courses include those in art and penmanship, Bible, biology, business administration, chemistry, education and psychology, English, French, government, history, journalism, mathematics, physics, physical education, radio, Spanish, speech and music. Special workshops are being conducted in art, reading, curriculum, music and child study.

Two special summer schools, for band and vocal students, are being sponsored by the University's School of Music. The tenth annual school for band directors and band members will be held August 15 to 27. The John Finley Westminster Choir college will be held from July 6 to 16.

Commencement exercises for graduates will be held Friday, August 19.

Poison Ivy Menace Can Be Nuisance To Those Seeking Summer Recreation

With the first days of summer, hikes and picnics are very much in order. It's fine to get out in the fresh air and indulge in some healthful exercise, but a hike or a picnic isn't always an unmixed blessing. There are sometimes blistered feet, aching muscles, ants in the picnic baskets—and poison ivy.

Poison ivy is a pretty but vicious plant or vine, and it always seems to nestle around the pleasantest hiking paths or most comfortable picnic grounds. But the plant produces a poisonous, oily resin that irritates the areas of skin with which it comes in contact. Shortly after exposure, the portion of the skin which it has touched begins to itch and burn and a blister-like rash breaks out. The skin irritation that results from poison ivy is always extremely uncomfortable.

If a person gets a case of poison ivy, he should see his doctor immediately. The doctor will give him medical treatment to bring relief from the itchy inflammation.

If the case is mild, the affected area should be washed with soap to remove the oily resins that cause the irritation. Creams and ointments can do harm because many of them contain ingredients that can further irritate and spread the rash.

A mild case of poison ivy usually lasts about ten days. More severe cases may last as long as three weeks.

Wise parents caution their children against poison ivy, especially around this time of year, teach them to identify it by description and pictures. Poison ivy is fairly easy to recognize with its green leaves which have a smooth, glossy surface and grow in groups of three.

The same irritating oil produced by poison ivy is found in poison sumac, a shrub or small tree, whose leaves run in a series of four to six. Poison sumac is less well-known and more difficult to detect than poison ivy, and its effects may be more severe. The treatment is the same as for poison ivy because they are similar types of skin irritations.

Ralph T. Fisher of the Abilene office of Social Security Administration, will be at the Stamford post office at 3:00 p. m. Thursday, June 23.

There are 8 columns to the page of most newspapers.

Pvt. Washington Is on Duty In Japanese Area

Private James Washington, son of Mrs. Claudia Washington of Hamlin, Texas, a member of the 24th Infantry Regiment, is now stationed at Gifu, Japan.

Private Washington is a rifleman in Headquarters Company 3rd Battalion and is now on guard duty at Kobe Base, the supply point for Southern Japan.

Private Washington entered the army in March 1948, received his basic training at Fort Knox, Ken, tucky and departed for overseas duty in December 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Crawford of Stamford were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Onis Crawford in Hamlin Tuesday.

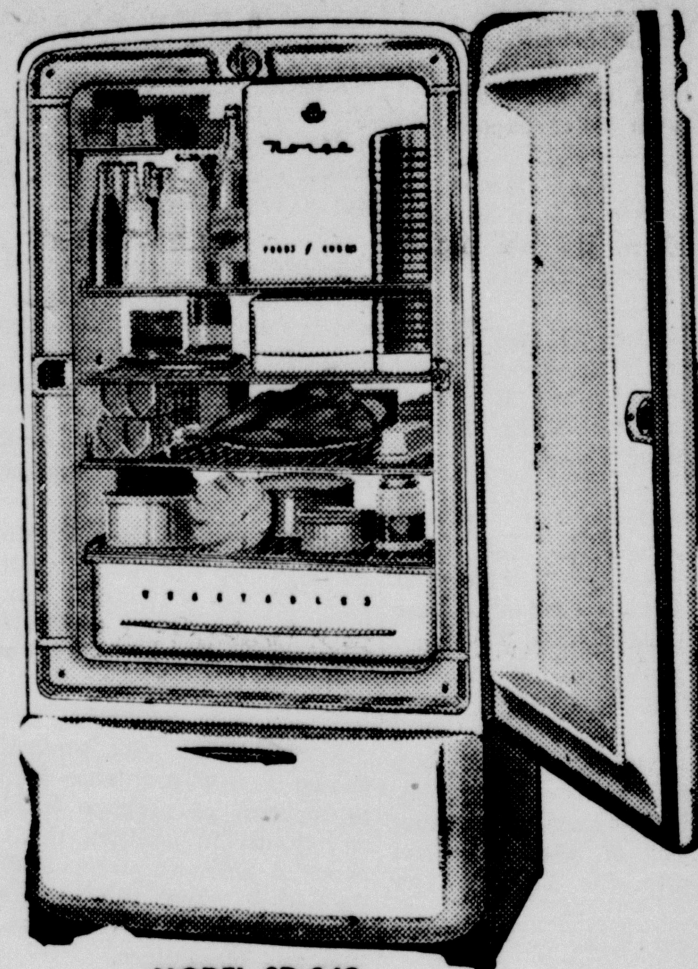
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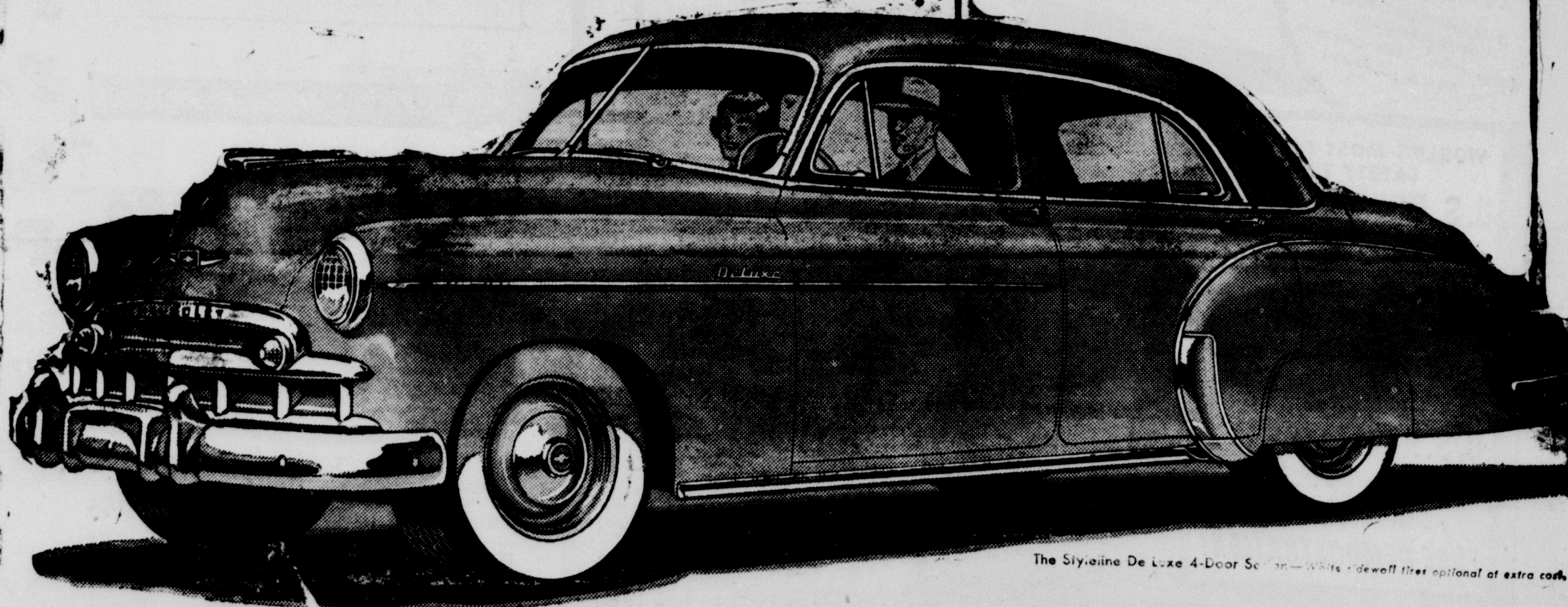
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Committees for X-ray Clinic in Stamford Named

Committees to aid in publicizing the tuberculosis X-ray clinics in Stamford and Anson, and to urge full attendance of Hamlin people, were named this week by Stanley Carmichael, community chairman.

The committees are: publicity, Roy J. Curtis, Travis Hash and Roy Hartgraves; Ministerial Alliance, M. T. York, Harold Bonner and Elmo Bellah; finance, Joe Culbertson, W. C. Russell and A. Spencer; poster, Beta Sigma Phi sorority; telephone, Mrs. E. M. Wilson and Mrs. Albert Chandler.

The poster committee has placed announcement posters in windows of business houses throughout Hamlin. The telephone committee planned to call each name in the directory during the latter part of the week, before the clinics open. The Stamford clinic will be

Mrs. Smith Installed As Worthy Matron

Mrs. Fred Smith was installed as worthy matron of the Hamlin chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, in a formal ceremony in the Masonic hall Tuesday evening. Mrs. Perry Sparks was installing officer, Mrs. A. Hudson was installing marshal, assisted by Mrs. Ira Clements, secretary, Mrs. Dick Maberry, organists, and Mrs. W. J. Poe, Chaplain.

Other officers installed were W. R. Terry, Worthy matron; Mrs. Paul Galey, associate matron; Kelley Scott associate matron, Mrs. Ira-

Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the Stamford City Hall. The Anson clinic will be Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the county seat.

No charge is made for the chest X-rays, and sponsors of the movement said it takes only a brief bit of time to have the picture made.

It is hoped that all persons 15 years of age and over will visit the clinic and have the pictures made.

Clements, secretary; Ira Clements, treasurer; Mrs. Jesse Garrett, conductress; Mrs. Paul Goodgame, associate conductress; Mrs. W. J. Poe, chaplain; Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, marshal; Mrs. Dick Maberry, organist; Mrs. Jack Vaughan Jr., Adah; Mrs. J. H. Foster, Ruth; Mrs. Kelley Scott, Ester; Mrs. W. R. Terry, Martha; Mrs. Perry Sparks, Electra; Mrs. W. W. Wallace; warder; and Mrs. O. G. Harvey, sentinel.

Mrs. Dick Maberry and Mrs. Fred Smith were co-hostesses at the social meeting which followed installation.

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Carloadings in Area Take Upward Trend

A slight upward trend in railroad carloadings in this area was noted in reports issued this week, although the total number of units loaded were still less than for the corresponding week of 1948.

Cars loaded for the week ending June 4, 1949 totaled 27,792 on the Katy and Santa Fe roads, as compared with 32,121 for the corresponding week of 1948.

Shipments of wheat and farm machinery were credited with the slight upward turn in total units loaded.

FOR SALE Signs at The Herald.

McCaulley HD Club Had Quilting Meet

An all-day quilting meeting was held last Thursday by the McCaulley Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Jerry Maberry.

The program planned for the day was omitted, and the business session was postponed until the meeting held June 6, when the group also met in the Maberry home, and finished the quilt.

Present at the first meeting were Mrs. Della Fancher, Mrs. Luther Maberry, Mrs. A. G. Smith, Mrs. Jerry Miller, Mrs. Roscoe Perryman, Mrs. Tom McCaslin, Mrs. Martin Decker, Mrs. Louis Boyd,

Celotex YWA Met in Dunn Home Thursday

Miss Joyce Dunn was hostess to members of the Young Womens Auxiliary of the Celotex Baptist Church last Thursday, when they met in her home.

The following officers were elected: Iris Criswell, president; Joyce Dunn, secretary; Frances Martin, secretary-treasurer; Bennie Elkins, devotionals and programs; Lavern Bond, Bible study; and Nita Green, social.

Those present for the first meeting were: Lavern Bond, Iris Cris-

Mrs. Bertie Mason and the hostess, Mrs. Maberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ellis of Winters have been guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rountree, Mrs. Ellis' parents. Ellis is head coach in the Winters school system, and Mrs. Ellis is a primary teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope spent several days last week in Midland with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hinkle and family.

well, Joyce Dunn, Bennie Elkins, Nita Green, Sarah Johnson, and Betty Joyce Ray.

Mrs. Leo Moore is sponsor of the group. Maxine Crossland of Oklahoma City was a visitor at the meeting.

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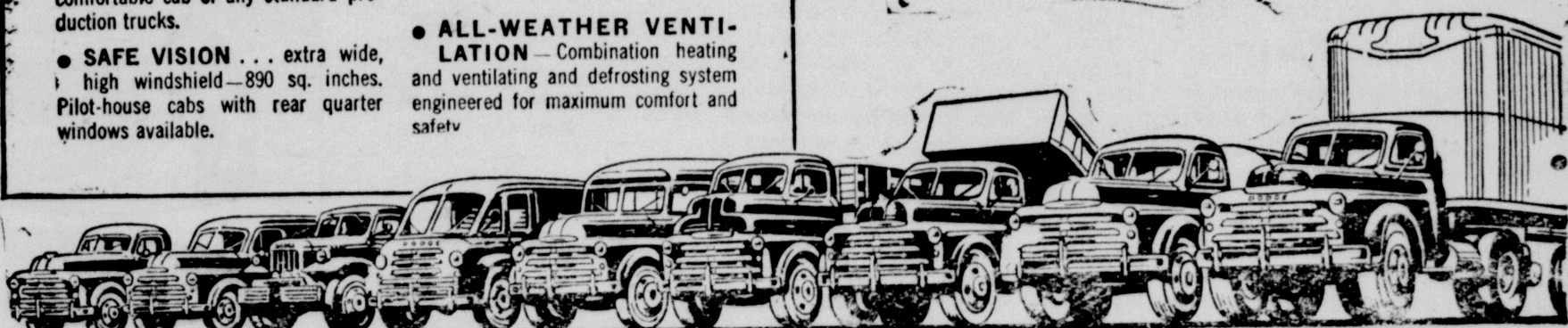
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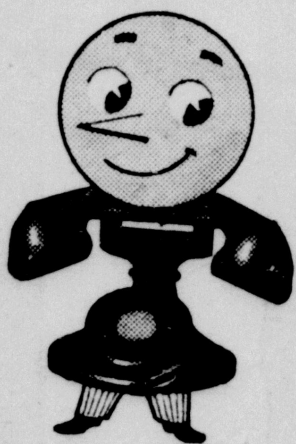
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Members of the Hamlin Garden Club met last Friday for their last session until autumn. They are shown above in the living room of the home of Mrs. J. W. McCrary. From left to right, front row: Mrs. Ed Bailey, Mrs. Harold Bonner, Mrs. Arch Hackley, Mrs. C. P. Yates, Mrs. W. R. Terry, Mrs. J. P. Morgan and Mrs. Roy Carmichael. Second row left to right: Mrs. H. O. Cassle, Mrs. Luther Marr, Mrs. P. D. Harkins, Mrs. Paul Fowler, Mrs. W. J. Poe, Mrs. Fed Britton, Mrs. Loy Fry, LaFoy Patterson, Mrs. Fred Moore Sr., Mrs. C. G. Green, Mrs. Eleanor Temple, Mrs. J. W. Ezell, Mrs. M. T. Hudson, Mrs. Dick Maberry and Mrs. Joe Culbertson. (Photo by Nell).

NEW BOOK

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sity, Washington, D.C. He also attended the University of California, Berkeley, Cal., for two summers.

Widely known as an author, he has written ten books in addition to his latest study on oil. They include "The Southwestern Frontier, 1865-1881," "The Greater Southwest," "Western America" in collaboration with L. R. Hafen; "Land Hunger;" "Baptist Missions Among the American Indians;" "Border Command;" "Robert E. Lee in Texas," and "No Man's Land."

In addition he has contributed to several historical publications and Scribner's "Dictionary of American History," Scribner's "Atlas of American History," and Harold Williamson's "Growth of the American Economy."

In 1942 Hardin-Simmons conferred on him the honorary degree of doctor of literature. He has served on the summer faculties at the University of Texas, University of Colorado, University of Missouri at Denver and George Washington University.

Professional organizations of which he is a member, in addition to Mississippi Valley Historical association, include the Society of American Historians, the Texas Historical society, the Westerners, the Oklahoma Historical society and others.

Legion Auxiliary to Have Hobo Party

A "hobo" party for members of the American Legion and Auxiliary will be in the Veterans Hall in City Park next Thursday evening, June 23.

All members of the two organizations are requested to attend dressed in hobo costume, or pay a penalty. The party will begin at 8 o'clock.

Mart Farrow, son of Mrs. Mary Farrow, is attending summer school at Texas Tech, Lubbock, where he is taking a course in geology. Farrow's summer course calls for a field trip to New Mexico, where he is studying rock and soil formations.

A "ham" is a very bad actor.

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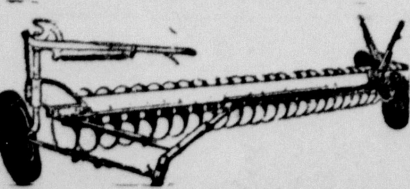
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Garden Club Members Honored With Coffee In McCrary Home Friday; Year's Last Meeting

Members of the Hamlin Garden Club were honored with a coffee Friday morning in the home of Mrs. J. W. McCrary on Lake Drive.

Sue McCrary, daughter of the hostess, greeted guests at the door and presented each with a small corsage. Mrs. McCrary directed the guests to a table laid with Maderia and centered with an arrangement of pink gladioluses. Mrs. Ernest Jenkins poured coffee, assisted by Mrs. Joe Culbertson, Mrs. H. O. Cassle and Mrs. M. T. Hudson.

Mrs. C. P. Yates, leader, called the roll, and each member answered by giving the name of the official state flower of one of the states.

Mrs. J. W. Ezell and Robert Angel showed technicolor pictures of Mrs. Ezell's yard, displaying her iris, gladioluses and roses. They also showed a film of interesting scenes in other places.

Following the picture, officers for the coming year were installed. They are: Mrs. Luther Marr, president; Mrs. LaFoy Patterson, first vice president; Mrs. G. C. Green, second vice president; Mrs. Harold Bonner, recording secretary; Mrs. M. T. York, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. D. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. Dick Maberry, reporter; Mrs. A. A. Hackley, parliamentarian; Mrs. W. A. Albritton, historian, and Mrs. H. O. Cassle, librarian.

The Friday meeting was the last one until next fall for the club.

Those present were Mrs. Fred Moore, Mrs. Paul Fowler, Mrs. J. P. Harkins, Mrs. A. G. Irwin, Mrs. Fed Britton, Mrs. W. J. Poe, Mrs. Ed Bailey, Mrs. Harold Bonner, Mrs. A. A. Hackley, Mrs. J. P. Morgan, Mrs. L. D. Fry, Mrs. H. O. Cassle, Mrs. M. T. Hudson, Mrs. Luther Marr, Mrs. W. R. Terry, Mrs. Dick Maberry, Mrs. LaFoy Patterson, Mrs. G. C. Green, Mrs. J. W. Ezell, Mrs. Joe Culbertson, Mrs. Carl Young, Mrs. Roy Carmichael, Miss Eleanor Temple, Mrs. Ernest Jenkins and Mrs. McCrary, members.

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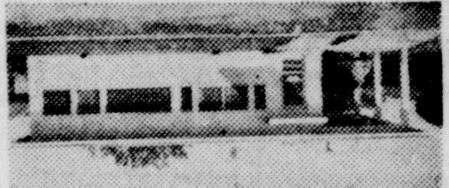
New members accepted were Mrs. W. H. Pickron, Mrs. E. D. Perrin, Mrs. Katy Prater, Mrs. E. D. Hawkins and Mrs. A. D. Taylor.

Birthday Party Is In Hallmark Home

Mrs. W. H. Hallmark entertained a group of Celotex women in her home recently with a birthday party.

Games were played and refreshments were served.

Those present were Mrs. T. L. Green, Mrs. H. Mason, Mrs. E. B. Hopper, Mrs. J. R. Elliott Sr., Mrs. W. C. Lockhart, Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Mrs. F. T. Wallace, Mrs. O. L. Wallace, Mrs. F. C. Brisco, Mrs. R. A. Wright, Mrs. H. L. Clark, Mrs. D. W. Cowan, Mrs. O. R. Criswell, Mrs. Sam Farrell and the hostess.



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CITY TAXES

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and his annual city tax is \$41.25. An increase of one fourth in valuation would raise his property to a total of \$3,435.50, and his annual tax would be increased only \$10.31.

Individual B: Owns his home and works for a salary. His present valuation is \$1,500 and he pays an annual tax of \$22.50. If his property valuation were increased one fourth it would be listed at \$2,062.50 and his increase in taxes would be only \$5.62.

Individual C: Owns his home and considerable other real estate. He has an above average income. His present valuation is listed at \$19,050 and his annual city tax is \$285. If his valuation were upped 25 per cent, it would be raised to \$23,812.50

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Mrs. Maberry Honors Daughter With Party

Mrs. Willard Maberry honored her daughter, Mary Margaret, with a party on the occasion of her fourth birthday anniversary last Wednesday.

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Cecil Touchon, who is in the navy stationed in Jacksonville, Fla., is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Touchon in Hamlin. Cecil recently completed a round-the-world trip on the Tarrawa.

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